

## House Resolution No. 1986

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State high school athletic programs which embody the highest standards of sportsmanship, teamwork, training, determination, and drive throughout the competitive season; and

**Whereas**, the Gainesville R-V School District fielded a 2004-2005 girls basketball team which included seniors Nikki Jarvis, Kelly James, Misti Johnson, Mandy Kastning, Sally Ledbetter, Stephanie Studanski, Ashley Zamora, and Casie Gardner; juniors, Julie Frye and Misty Campbell; and freshmen, Teiah Hannaford, Chandi Harris, Kayce Peirce, Brittany Frye, Dannielle Johnson, Stephanie Randolph, and Rachel Webb; and

**Whereas**, admirably coached by Doyne Byrd and Assistant Coach Darren Rose, the Gainesville Lady Bulldogs ended the season with a 27-4 win-loss record, a four-year 88-22 record, and the school's first-ever Third Place finish at the Missouri State High School Activities Association sanctioned Class 2 state championships; and

**Whereas**, the Gainesville Lady Bulldogs earned Third Place with a 61-52 win over the Crest Ridge Lady Cougars in the Mizzou Arena on March 19, 2005; and

**Whereas**, hard work and dedication on the part of the players and support and encouragement from the community helped the Gainesville Lady Bulldogs enter the record books with a second-best seventy-three percent success from the 3-point line during the team's Semifinals effort; and

**Whereas**, Sally Ledbetter went 5-for-5 beyond the 3-point arc to tie Niele Ivey's numbers for Cor Jesu Academy in 1996, and 6-foot Stephanie Studanski, a Southwest Baptist University recruit, tied for second overall in a girls final four game with her 40-point game total:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the stellar competitive season accomplishments garnered by the Gainesville Lady Bulldogs basketball team and to convey to all of those involved this legislative body's most heartfelt congratulations upon attaining Third Place at the state championships; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of the 2004-2005 Gainesville R-V School District girls basketball program.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Maynard Wallace  
District No. 143

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 1986, adopted April 7, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker